

Woman's Kidney Troubles

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is Especially Successful in Curing This Fatal Disease.



Of all the diseases known, with which women are afflicted, chronic kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless early and correct treatment is applied, the weary patient seldom survives.

Being fully aware of this, Lydia E. Pinkham, early in her career, gave exhaustive study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for woman's ills—Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—was careful to see that it contained the correct combination of herbs which was sure to control that fatal disease, woman's kidney troubles. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the only one especially prepared for women, and thousands have been cured of serious kidney derangements by it. Derangements of the feminine organs quickly affect the kidneys, and when a woman has such symptoms as pain or weight in the loins, backache, bearing-down pains, swelling or burning sensations or deposits in the urine, unusual thirst, swelling of hands and feet, swelling under the eyes or sharp pains in the back, running through the groin, she may infer that her kidneys are affected and should lose no time in combating the disease with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, the woman's remedy for woman's ills.

The following letters show how marvelously successful it is.

Mrs. Samuel Frake, of Prospect Plains, N. J., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

I cannot thank you enough for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound: a Woman's Remedy for Woman's ills.

The Times' Daily Short Story.

SHABBY GENTEEL

(Original.)

When I went to the seashore for August I was completely worn out. I had managed a class of fifty children for ten months, excepting holidays, and never had I encountered so much mischief. June was a hot month, and by the time I had completed the work attending examinations I was too broken down to get away for a change, though my salary and my savings were so small that I could only afford one month's outing.

I was walking one evening on the beach drinking in the delicious salt sea breeze when I met a man who noticed me with more apparent interest than I usually received from strangers of the opposite sex. He brought a pair of fine brown eyes to bear upon me, which caused me to lower mine, though his gaze was perfectly respectful, even deferential. My brief look at him was only sufficient to tell me that his face was intellectual and his clothes were shabby.

At a short distance from the shore was a rock on which I would often go after sunset, sink into a seat worn by the water and enjoy the waves and the breeze. I went there one evening, passing over the narrow strip of sand that led to it just as the full moon was rising. For several nights I had been troubled with wakefulness, and now, lulled by the splash of the waves and the sea breeze and the moonlight on the water, I fell asleep.

I was awakened by a cold bath. The tide had risen, and a wave higher than the rest had completely covered the lower half of my body. I looked at the water; it was all about me. I looked up at the moon; it stood on the meridian. I turned my head; the breakers were on the beach behind me. I was becoming terror-stricken when I saw a man on the shore making motions to me. He called to me, telling me to remain where I was and he would go to the inlet near by and fetch a boat. Ten minutes later I was relieved to hear the sound of oars and see a rowboat rising and falling with the waves. When it reached the rock and the oarsman turned his face to me, the moon struck full upon it. He was the shabby genteel man I had passed on the beach.

There was every reason to suppose that he had saved me from drowning, for I could not swim, and since nearly every one on shore had gone to bed it is doubtful if any cries would have been heard above the noise of the breakers. Be this as it may, I had had a thrilling introduction to my rescuer and did not require him to secure the good offices of a mutual friend to make us acquainted.

After that we spent many an hour together on the beach. I tried without accomplishing to his satisfaction to discover

Ayer's Hair Vigor, as now made from our new improved formula, does not stain or color the hair even to the slightest degree. Gray hair, white hair, blonde hair is not made a shade darker. But it certainly does stop falling hair. No question about that. This is an entirely new preparation. One just placed on the market.

PROCLAMATION BY MAGOON

Succeeding Taft As Governor of Cuba

TAFT, BACON, FUNSTON GO

Direct Reference to the Platt Amendment by the New Executive—Conditions Now Favorable to Peace and Quiet.

Havana, Oct. 15.—Charles E. Magoon assumed the governorship of Cuba at noon Saturday, succeeding Secretary of War Taft and issued a proclamation declaring that he had assumed the governorship of Cuba. In his proclamation Governor Magoon said:

"The policy declared and the assurances given by Secretary Taft will be strictly carried out. As provisional governor I shall exercise the powers and perform the duties provided for by the third article of the appendix to the constitution of Cuba for the preservation of Cuban independence and the protection of life and property. As soon as it proves consistent with the attainment of these ends I shall seek to bring about the restoration of the ordinary agencies and methods of government under the other and general provisions of the Cuban constitution. All the provisions of the constitution and laws which for the time being would be inconsistent with the exercise of the powers provided for by the third article of the appendix must be deemed to be in abeyance. All laws now in force of the constitution and laws continue in full force and effect."

Without any formality excepting the issuing of an extraordinary copy of the Gazette, the government of Cuba was transferred by Secretary Taft to Mr. Magoon. Mr. Taft's contribution to the Gazette was simply a paragraph stating that "by direction and with the authority of the president of the United States I hereby lay down the office of the provisional governor of Cuba, assumed by me August 29, and turn the same over to Charles E. Magoon, my successor."

As the hour of noon approached, Mr. Taft joyfully remarked to the local reporters that he had been unjustly characterized as the "biggest man in Cuba," and he wanted them to observe that Mr. Magoon was bigger than he. Secretary of War Taft and Mrs. Taft and Assistant Secretary of State Bacon and Mrs. Bacon sailed for the United States yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock on board the battleship Louisiana. Brigadier General Funston sailed at the same hour for the United States on board the battleship Virginia. The transport Admiral Sampson arrived at Havana with 15 officers and 281 men of the 11th United States Infantry on Saturday.

The military secretary at Washington received Saturday a despatch from Captain Frank R. McCoy, dated at Havana Friday, in which he said that a decree would be published in the official Gazette of Saturday, admitting free of duty all supplies and materials belonging to the United States.

The war department Saturday received a telegram from Brigadier General Bell, commanding the troops in Cuba, requesting that mail intended for soldiers now on duty in Cuba be addressed to Havana, Cuba, from which place the military authorities will distribute it throughout the island.

The marine hospital service has been advised of the appearance of three new cases of yellow fever at Havana, and of a case at Cienfuegos and another at Guines.

LAW POINTS.

Officers who, after arresting a person, forcibly search him and take from him valuables with the intention of keeping them are held, in *Tones versus State* (Tex. Crim. App.), 1 L. R. A. (N. S.) 1024, to be guilty of robbery.

Error in refusing a request to charge is held, in *Danbmann versus Metropolitan Street Railway Company* (N. Y.), 2 L. R. A. (N. S.) 309, not to be corrected by a subsequent charge to the same effect, where the court again expressly refuses to give the first instruction asked.

Funds of an insolvent bank on deposit with a correspondent bank are held, in *Clark versus Toronto Bank* (Kan.), 2 L. R. A. (N. S.) 83, to pass to the receiver rather than the holder of a draft issued before the appointment of the receiver, but not presented until after the drawee had notice of the receivership.

THE WRITERS.

Thomas Hardy, the novelist, spent part of his life in an architect's office, and he has made two of the characters in his novels architects.

Hall Caine makes a practice of visiting every place he intends to describe in a novel. When engaged on a story he writes, on an average, 1,500 words a day.

Miss Mary Johnston, the Virginia authoress, who had been in critical health for many months, announces her entire recovery and that she will spend the winter in Richmond.

Mariner, poet and scientist, Captain C. A. M. Taber of Wakenfield, Mass., has forsaken the ocean and settled down to the production of several volumes of verse and the publication of a number of articles on the question of climatic changes due to the influence of the ocean currents and winds.

Odd Nesting Place.

A large centrifugal pump at a Brighton (England) bath stopped working and an examination revealed the presence in a pipe of a pigeon's nest with two eggs. To reach it, the bird had to find its way through a six-inch diameter pipe, horizontal for six feet and then turning sharply into a six-foot perpendicular.

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For wear with tailor made clothes plain silk petticoats are very popular finished with self trimming.

Black lace gowns trimmed with white lace applied on the black net are sufficiently new in design to be attractive.

When selecting a fall walking skirt be sure to avoid the circular shape. No matter how well it is cut, it will need relining almost every time it is worn. The correct length for a short skirt is two inches from the ground.

Brocade will line most of the smart fall and winter coats, and another old fashioned silk which is being largely used for belts is satin mervellous.

In millinery, colors are chiefly on the dark, and somewhat somber order.

SIRENS AND SONS.

William Loeb, Jr., secretary to the president, pronounces his name as if it were spelled "Loeb." The o is long.

Signor Curuso, the Italian tenor, is reported to have won \$10,000 in six nights' play at Ostend and then to have lost it all in one sitting.

Nikola Tesla, the inventor whose electrical apparatus is used in the transmission of power from Niagara falls, is a strikingly handsome man of forty-five, tall, dark and typically Greek in features.

Hobart C. Chatfield Taylor, once one of the best known whips in the west, cannot be persuaded nowadays to even look at a four-in-hand coach. He says he is through with all that sort of "youthfulness."

Colonel Carter C. Smith, who has just been appointed paymaster general, is a native of New York and one of the most popular men in the army. He served in Cuba during the Spanish war and for several years was stationed at Washington.

Vice President Fairbanks has a remarkable memory for faces and never forgets any man whom he has ever met. This happy faculty, which only one statesman in many possesses, has always been a well known characteristic of the Indiana man.

General Luis Terrazas, whose wealth is by Mexicans asserted to be \$200,000,000, celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of his birth at his home in Chihuahua, Mexico, a few days ago. Terrazas is said to be the largest individual landowner in the world, his estates in western Mexico covering more than 15,000,000 acres.

Ambassador Reid is gaining a reputation for lavish entertainments in London. Consul General Wynne having said of him: "It was a difficult thing for any man to go to London as ambassador after Choate, but Reid has gone in for entertaining in such grand style as to captivate London. No ambassador has spent so much money as Reid."

Frederick Braun, the world's authority on crinoids, has been working for several months near Crawfordsville, Ind., finding some rare specimens. Crinoids, or sea lilies, are the remains of prehistoric animals, and to produce them requires thousands of years and a complete change in the earth's topography. He has the finest collection in the world at his Brooklyn home.

Child Betrothals.

To be an old maid in Greece is to bring everlasting disgrace on the family name, so the children are betrothed in childhood, the mother of the girl looking about immediately after the child's birth for a nice family with a little boy. Seldom are these engagements broken in after life.



BLUE VELVET HAT.

Black is in high favor, brown is much liked, and the wine shades are very prominent. Green appears in many charming shades, and blue in all tones is in evidence.

The brims of the large picture hats do not turn up in a freakish fashion from the face, as they did last year, but droop prettily over a high band.

Crowns on the new hats are most varied in character, but the small round dome crown disappeared with the small round hat. Draped crowns are in the majority, and square crowns on the gainsborough order are in good standing.

The hat pictured is of hyacinth blue velvet. About the crown is swathed matlines of a lighter shade of blue. At the back of the chapen is a panache of ostrich feathers in varying tones of this new blue.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

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Speculation Cause of Toronto Trouble

GEN. IMANAGER BLAMED

For Stock Operations — The Montreal Bank Assumes the Various Debts of the Ontario Bank.

Toronto, Oct. 15.—There was a slight run Saturday on the Ontario bank, which kept up until the bank closed its doors at noon. There was no disorder, however, Montreal had assumed all liabilities having a quieting effect.

The total assets of the bank are said to be \$17,000,000, while the total liabilities are \$15,000,000. A large part of the assets, however, consists of mortgages and other securities which have a year or more to run. It is doubtful if the stockholders get more than 25 or 30 cents on the dollar.

The president of the bank announced today that "the difficulties of the bank have been occasioned by the wrongful general manager, only recently discovered."

The losses of the institution are estimated at \$1,250,000.

Run on Montreal Branch.

Montreal, Oct. 15.—A very heavy run on the Montreal branch of the Ontario bank developed today. Depositors, however, were paid in full.

A SHEEP DOG.

Puppyhood Is the Time to School the Future Worker.

He reveals in a puppy's freedom till he is about nine months old, and then comes the time when "school" begins. Some men begin when a puppy is only four or five months old to teach him to "sit down" at the word of command, but unless this training is done systematically and not overdone so as to tire and disgust the baby pupil it is better left alone till he reaches a ripe age. The first thing to do at the age of eight or nine months is to accustom this restless, romping bit of doghood to the discipline of a kennel and chain.

This he will willingly accept, tugging at his collar till you hourly expect him to choke and making night and day hideous with his plaintive protests until hoarseness compels him to suffer in silence. He will soon learn, however, that no one wishes to hurt him; that the chain is only a necessary evil which must be worn for a certain part of each day and for every hour of the night, and that the glad moments of release when he is left off for a good run, each morning and evening, fully make up for the imprisonment of the rest of the day. It is at this time absolutely necessary to keep your sheep pup on the chain. This is a most important time of his life. It is the time when, if at large and neglected, he is liable to learn to chase birds and rabbits with the irresponsible mongrels always to be found on a farm or ranch or sheep run; also it is the time when, if left alone and not watched, he may develop for himself and unguided that strong love of working sheep that is in his nature, and that may lead to him making excursions on his own account or prevailing on the mongrels to accompany him after his master's sheep or those of neighboring farmers. Tying him up protects him from himself. It also protects him from his friends.

No sheep dog is ever worth anything which has been petted and fondled and made much of as a puppy. Women are the worst offenders in this way. Women and children—W. H. Ogilvie in Live Stock Reporter.

At Port Royal, Jamaica, again, many houses were engulfed forty fathoms deep, with above 3,000 of their inhabitants, while about the same time an earthquake made wave so completely demolished Catania, in Sicily, that of the town and its 18,000 inhabitants not a trace remained.—Pearson's Weekly.

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OCEAN AVALANCHES

Some of the Great Engulfing Waves of the Glacial Sea.

There is one consolation about the two great earthquakes that destroyed respectively the two great cities of San Francisco and Valparaiso, and that is that they raised no seismic waves to speak of.

This was because the earth tremors were wholly on land and did not extend beneath the bed of the ocean. It is when this latter eventually happens that these terrible waves are created, causing widespread havoc.

For instance, it was this kind of ocean avalanche that engulfed Lisbon, with 50,000 of its inhabitants, in 1755, and in 1838 a submarine earthquake started in the straits of Sunda a so called "tidal" (seismic) wave that traveled twice around the globe and drowned 35,000 people.

In 1801 again a submarine earthquake threw up a wall of water seventy feet high and more than 500 miles in length, which overwhelmed the greater portion of the Nippon Islands. On this occasion 84,000 houses were swept away and 10,000 people lost their lives.

Worse still was a huge wave which in 1868 wiped out of existence in a few minutes the cities of Arequipa, Iquique, Tacna and Chenchu, drowning 25,000 persons and destroying property worth \$60,000,000. The waters of the Pacific first retreated nearly half a mile, then rushed forward with irresistible force, so that great ships were carried far inland and there left high and dry for future generations to wonder at.

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The Astor Partition Walls.

The filling of plans for alterations of the city home of John Jacob Astor at 344 Fifth avenue, New York, show that the central wall which bisects the grand staircase was erected at the command of Mrs. Astor to separate her portion of the graystone palace from that occupied by her son and family. Two of the Astors, John Jacob and William Waldorf, own the Astor House jointly. Of the Waldorf-Astoria, William Waldorf Astor owns the Waldorf side, while John Jacob owns the Astoria portion, and these twin hotels are divided by such a partition wall as existed in the Astor home, where the mother and son live side by side.—Argonaut.

Was the Antocrat Lazy?

Among the relics of famous men in the possession of Dr. John Dixwell of St. Louis is Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes' shoe horn. It is an ordinary steel shoe horn affixed to a cane handle about four feet long. Armed with this, the doctor could put on his shoes without stooping or wasting energy.



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